

Codebook for replication dataset – The Politics of Creditworthiness

Report: Unique code for the specific report

Year: Year that the report was published

Country: Name of country about which the report was published

Crisis: Time period relative to the crisis

Coded as Before crisis (1999 to 2007); Onset of crisis (2008 and 2009), and After the onset of the crisis (2010 to 2012)

CountryGr: The country group category, coded as follows

Developed category includes Austria, Belgium, Denmark Finland, France, Germany, Greece, Iceland, Ireland, Italy, Luxemburg, Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Switzerland, Sweden, and United Kingdom.

Transitioning category include those that joined the EU between 2004 and 2007, specifically: Bulgaria, Cyprus, Czech Republic, Estonia, Hungary, Latvia, Lithuania, Malta, Poland, Romania, Slovakia, and Slovenia.

Emerging category includes Albania, Belarus, Bosnia, Croatia, Macedonia, Montenegro, Russia, Serbia, Turkey, and Ukraine.

Eurozone: Dummy variable indicating whether the report was published for a current member of the Eurozone

EuroGr: Text binary variable indicating whether the report was published for a current member of the Eurozone

count: The word count of the report

Secon: The absolute number of words coded as economic terms

Sfiscal: The absolute number of words coded as fiscal terms

Spolitics: The absolute number of words coded as political terms

Spolicy: The absolute number of words coded as economic terms

Pecon: The relative share of words (percentage) coded as economic terms

Pfiscal: The relative share of words (percentage) coded as fiscal terms

Ppolitics: The relative share of words (percentage) coded as political terms

Ppolicy: The relative share of words (percentage) coded as policy terms

Pneutral: The relative share of words (percentage) coded as neutral terms

PeconNN: The relative share of words (percentage) coded as economic terms, recalculated excluding neutral terms

PfiscalNN: The relative share of words (percentage) coded as fiscal terms, recalculated excluding neutral terms

PpolicyNN*: The relative share of words (percentage) coded as policy terms, recalculated excluding neutral terms

PpoliticsNN*: The relative share of words (percentage) coded as political terms, recalculated excluding neutral terms

* Dependent variable used in Table 2 of the paper.